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Sent: Tue 1/14/2014 5:01:38 PM
Subject: RE: ARSG Technical Work Group Meeting

Is there really a TAG group or are you referring to the Animas River Stakeholder's Group (ARSG)?

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From: Hanley, Jim
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No, I don't know the details. Mike kept things pretty close to himself. Maybe Linda is a consultant to the "TAG"?

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Jim – I have not heard of her before and don't know how Mike was "accessing" her for technical assistance. Do you know anymore about her and how she has helped in the past?

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Paula,

I would be interested in listening to AMEC's proposal on the 22nd. Are you using Linda Figueroa, Ph.D, Colorado School of Mines, as your technical assistance provider to screen innovative treatment systems. Mike Holmes seemed to value her input and contributions to the ARSG.

Sincerely,

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Dear ARSG Technical workgroup – Ron Borrego with AMEC in Durango has been talking with a couple of us about a wetlands treatment project they have been working on at a large mine drainage site in the San Juans. They have approached Kinross to fund a scoping study about how this type of wetlands could be utilized to deal with metal loading in upper Cement Creek. Kinross has not made any decisions regarding funding. Kinross wants ARSG to decide if such a study would be useful and worthwhile, and if so, are there other funding partners that might want to participate.

AMEC would like to talk more about their proposal with the technical work group. We are trying to set up a work group meeting in Durango on the afternoon of January 22nd at the public lands center. We will have call in capability. I will send out the number later.

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